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TO : Inspector General


DATE: DEC 5 1952

FROM : Security Officer, CIA

SUBJECT: Advice to Applicants Concerning CIA Criteria

1. I am proposing to submit the attached memorandum to the DDC for signature. The memorandum has already been coordinated with General Morris, who is completely in accord with its contents, as well as the procedure indicated. It is hoped that the distribution of the memorandum to applicants will discourage application for employment to be made by those persons who obviously do not meet the criteria. It is also hoped that persons with questionable backgrounds who make application will give us pertinent information before our investigations begin.

2. It is felt that you may have an interest in this matter.


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